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TAS: PFOR, SY, JO, XF, EG

SUBJECT: EGYPTIAN VIEW OF SYRIAN-JORDANIAN JOINT STATEMENT

REF: AMMAN 3908-FBIS171139

1. EMBASSY CONCURS IN AMMAN'S ASSESSMENT (REFTEL) THAT SYRIAN-JORDANIAN JOINT STATEMENT CONTAINS NOTHING OFFENSIVE TO EGYPTIANS. FORMATION OF JOINT COMMAND IS IN FACT BEING HAILED BY PRESIDENT SADAT AS "GREAT STEP". IN HIS INTERVIEW WITH AN-NAHAR, PUBLISHED JUNE 17 IN BEIRUT, PRESIDENT SADAT WELCOMED MOVE, SAYING "I AM NOW THE HAPPIEST PERSONA BECAUSE OF THIS COORDINATION...I VISITED JORDAN BEFORE PRESIDENT HAFEZ AL-ASAD. I WENT TO THE FRONT AND SAW THERE HOW VERY VITAL JORDANIAN-SYRIAN COOPERATION IS..." PRESIDENTIAL PRAISE IS ECHOED IN FRONT PAGE COLUMN JUNE 18 BY AHRAH'S EDITOR IN CHIEF ALI HAMDI AL-GAMAL.

2. COMMENT: SADAT APPEARS TO BE HINTING THAT HE HIMSELF RECOMMENDED COORDINATION MOVE TO HIS SYRIAN AND JORDANIAN COUNTERPARTS DURING HIS LATE MAY SWING THROUGH ARAB STATES AND IS NOW SEEKING TO TAKE PARTIAL CREDIT FOR SUCCESSFUL

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CONCLUSION OF AGREEMENT.

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